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Amendments to the Claims:

Please amend the claims as follows:

1-32 (Canceled).

33. (New): A method of coordinating management of healthcare services for a patient having a selected disease, comprising:

(a) providing a computerized information management system including:

(i) a server including a database operable to receive and store for retrieval data from an information source regarding a patient which is collected by a coordinating party; and

(ii) at least one computer communicating with the database via a communications network for processing the data so as to permit a requesting party selected from the group consisting of the coordinating party, the patient, and an individual authorized to access the data to use the data to coordinate a plan of care for the patient for the selected medical condition;

(b) using the computer to process the data to create a plan of care, the plan of care comprising information specifying at least one test to be conducted, the test selected to diagnose the selected disease or an aspect thereof; and scheduling information relating to the diagnostic test;

(c) communicating the plan of care to the requesting party;

(d) receiving the results of the diagnostic test in accordance with the plan of care, and storing the test results in the database;

(e) creating a summary of the test results for use by a health care provider in selecting a treatment track for treatment of the selected disease based on the test results, and storing the summary in the database;

(f) creating and storing a survey schedule and prompting the coordinating party to

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conduct patient satisfaction surveys to monitor the patient's progress within the treatment track in accordance with the survey schedule; and

(g) receiving the results of the patient satisfaction surveys in accordance with the survey schedule, and storing the survey results in the database.

34. (New): The method according to claim 33, wherein the communications network comprises a global communications network.

35. (New): The method of claim 33, wherein the treatment track comprises a preselected event selected from the group consisting of a lifestyle change, a prescription for medication, an appointment with a healthcare provider, an outpatient procedure, and an inpatient procedure for treating the selected disease.

36. (Original): The method of claim 33, further including the step of providing the requesting party access to the data by providing a Web site maintained by a system administrator and accessible by the requesting party.

37. (Original): The method of claim 36, further comprising the step of providing a preselected password to the requesting party for selectively permitting the requesting party to access said Web site.

38. (Original): The method of claim 33 wherein said coordinating party is selected from the group consisting of a healthcare provider and a registered nurse.

39. (Original): A method of coordinating delivery of healthcare services according to claim 33, wherein said information source is selected from the group consisting of the patient, the requesting party, and a healthcare provider.

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40. (New): A method of integrating management of healthcare services relating to gastroesophageal reflux disease (GERD), comprising:

(a) providing a computerized information management system including:

(i) a server including a database configured to receive and store for retrieval data from an information source regarding a patient and collected by a coordinating party;

(ii) at least one computer communicating with the database via the communications network for processing the data for permitting a requesting party selected from the group consisting of the coordinating party, the patient, and an individual authorized to access the data to use the data to coordinate a plan of care for the patient for GERD;

(b) using the computer to process the data to create a plan of care, the plan of care comprising information specifying at least one test to be conducted, the test selected to diagnose GERD or an aspect thereof; and scheduling information relating to the diagnostic test;

(c) communicating the plan of care to the requesting party;

(d) receiving the results of the diagnostic test in accordance with the plan of care, and storing the test results in the database;

(e) creating a summary of the test results for use by a healthcare provider in selecting a treatment track for treatment of GERD based on the test results, and storing the summary in the database;

(f) creating and storing a survey schedule and prompting the coordinating party to conduct patient satisfaction surveys to monitor the patient's progress within the treatment track in accordance with the survey schedule; and

(g) receiving the results of the patient satisfaction surveys in accordance with the survey schedule, and storing the survey results in the database.

41. (New): The method according to claim 40, wherein the communications network comprises a global communications network.

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42. (New): The method of claim 40, wherein the treatment track comprises a preselected event selected from the group consisting of a lifestyle change, a prescription for medication, an appointment with a healthcare provider, an outpatient procedure, and an inpatient procedure for treating GERD.

43. (New): The method of claim 40, further including the step of providing the requesting party access to the data by providing a Web site maintained by a system administrator and accessible by the requesting party.

44. (New): The method of claim 43, further comprising the step of providing a preselected password to the requesting party for selectively permitting the requesting party to access said Web site.

45. (New): The method of claim 40 wherein the coordinating party is selected from the group consisting of a healthcare provider and a registered nurse.

46. (New): A method of coordinating delivery of healthcare services according to claim 40, wherein the information source is selected from the group consisting of the patient, the requesting party, and a healthcare provider.